

What is Claimed Is:

1. Releasable connection between two adjoining body shell part components of a vehicle body,

wherein the releasable connection comprises:

at least one base plate which is held in use in position on a first component and has at least one projecting pin, and

a receiving device which is fastened to a second component and has a rotatable slotted sleeve part,

wherein an end-side profiled head section of the at least one pin is guidable through openings of the second component, of the receiving device and of the sleeve part, and

wherein, as a result of radial rotation of the sleeve part about an angle  $\alpha$ , a fastening of the first and second components with respect to one another takes place.

2. Releasable connection according to Claim 1, wherein the releasable connection comprises at least two mutually spaced ones of said projecting pins which are arranged on a common base plate or on two separate base plates.

3. Releasable connection according to Claim 1, wherein each base plate is held in position on the first component by way of a snap-on connection.

4. Releasable connection according to Claim 2, wherein each base plate is held in position on the first component by way of a snap-on connection.

5. Releasable connection according to claim 1, wherein the at least one base plate rests on a side of the first component which faces away from the second component, and the at least one pin projects through an opening of the first component.

6. Releasable connection according to claim 2, wherein the at least one base plate rests on a side of the first component which faces away from the second component, and the at least one pin projects through an opening of the first component.

7. Releasable connection according to claim 3, wherein the at least one base plate rests on a side of the first component which faces away from the second component, and the at least one pin projects through an opening of the first component.

8. Releasable connection according to claim 1, wherein the receiving device has a plate-shaped web resting on the second component, and two mutually spaced receiving sections connected with the web, the elongated sleeve part being received within the receiving sections.

9.     Releasable connection according to claim 2, wherein the receiving device has a plate-shaped web resting on the second component, and two mutually spaced receiving sections connected with the web, the elongated sleeve part being received within the receiving sections.

10.    Releasable connection according to claim 4, wherein the receiving device has a plate-shaped web resting on the second component, and two mutually spaced receiving sections connected with the web, the elongated sleeve part being received within the receiving sections.

11.    Releasable connection according to claim 8, wherein corresponding openings are provided on the plate-shaped web in an area of the pins to be guided through.

12.    Releasable connection according to claim 8, wherein the plate-shaped web of the receiving device is connected with the second component by means of snap-on connections.

13.    Releasable connection according to claim 11, wherein the plate-shaped web of the receiving device is connected with the second component by means of snap-on connections.

14.    Releasable connection according to claim 8, wherein each receiving section

has two circular-arc-shaped holding lips which are arranged above one another, free ends of both holding lips being so far away from one another in a vertical direction that a lateral insertion of the sleeve part is ensured.

15.     Releasable connection according to claim 11, wherein each receiving section has two circular-arc-shaped holding lips which are arranged above one another, free ends of both holding lips being so far away from one another in a vertical direction that a lateral insertion of the sleeve part is ensured.

16.     Releasable connection according to claim 12, wherein each receiving section has two circular-arc-shaped holding lips which are arranged above one another, free ends of both holding lips being so far away from one another in a vertical direction that a lateral insertion of the sleeve part is ensured.

17.     Releasable connection according to claim 8, wherein the sleeve part has radially projecting collar sections on its two ends, which collar sections fix the sleeve part in the axial direction on the receiving device.

18.     Releasable connection according to claim 11, wherein the sleeve part has radially projecting collar sections on its two ends, which collar sections fix the sleeve part in the axial direction on the receiving device.

19.     Releasable connection according to claim 12, wherein the sleeve part has

radially projecting collar sections on its two ends, which collar sections fix the sleeve part in the axial direction on the receiving device.

20. Releasable connection according to claim 14, wherein the sleeve part has radially projecting collar sections on its two ends, which collar sections fix the sleeve part in the axial direction on the receiving device.

21. Releasable connection according to claim 1, wherein at least one face-side end of the sleeve part is closed by a wall, and

wherein a narrow longitudinal slot for introducing an auxiliary tool is provided at the wall in order to rotate the sleeve part.

22. Releasable connection according to claim 2, wherein at least one face-side end of the sleeve part is closed by a wall, and

wherein a narrow longitudinal slot for introducing an auxiliary tool is provided at the wall in order to rotate the sleeve part.

23. Releasable connection according to claim 3, wherein at least one face-side end of the sleeve part is closed by a wall, and

wherein a narrow longitudinal slot for introducing an auxiliary tool is provided at the wall in order to rotate the sleeve part.

24. Releasable connection according to claim 4, wherein at least one face-side

end of the sleeve part is closed by a wall, and

wherein a narrow longitudinal slot for introducing an auxiliary tool is provided at the wall in order to rotate the sleeve part.

25. Releasable connection according to claim 5, wherein at least one face-side end of the sleeve part is closed by a wall, and

wherein a narrow longitudinal slot for introducing an auxiliary tool is provided at the wall in order to rotate the sleeve part.

26. Releasable connection according to claim 8, wherein at least one face-side end of the sleeve part is closed by a wall, and

wherein a narrow longitudinal slot for introducing an auxiliary tool is provided at the wall in order to rotate the sleeve part.

27. Releasable connection according to claim 11, wherein at least one face-side end of the sleeve part is closed by a wall, and

wherein a narrow longitudinal slot for introducing an auxiliary tool is provided at the wall in order to rotate the sleeve part.

28. Releasable connection according to claim 12, wherein at least one face-side end of the sleeve part is closed by a wall, and

wherein a narrow longitudinal slot for introducing an auxiliary tool is provided at the wall in order to rotate the sleeve part.

29. Releasable connection according to claim 14, wherein at least one face-side end of the sleeve part is closed by a wall, and

wherein a narrow longitudinal slot for introducing an auxiliary tool is provided at the wall in order to rotate the sleeve part.

30. Releasable connection according to claim 17, wherein at least one face-side end of the sleeve part is closed by a wall, and

wherein a narrow longitudinal slot for introducing an auxiliary tool is provided at the wall in order to rotate the sleeve part.

31. Releasable connection according to claim 1, wherein, for achieving a defined prestressing of the releasable connection, the sleeve part has an eccentric construction.

32. Releasable connection according to claim 29, wherein, for achieving a defined prestressing of the releasable connection, the sleeve part has an eccentric construction.

33. Method of making a vehicle body assembly comprising:

fastening a base plate on a first body shell component, said base plate including projecting pin,

fastening a receiving device to a second body shell component, said

receiving device having a rotatable slotted sleeve part,

guiding an end-side profiled head section of the projecting pin through openings of the second component, the receiving device and the sleeve part, and

rotating the sleeve part by a predetermined angle of rotation to thereby fasten the first and second component together.

34. Method according to claim 33, wherein the releasable connection comprises at least two mutually spaced ones of said projecting pins which are arranged on a common base plate or on two separate base plates.

35. Method according to claim 34, wherein each base plate is held in position on the first component by way of a snap-on connection.

36. Method according to claim 35, wherein the receiving device has a plate-shaped web resting on the second component, and two mutually spaced receiving sections connected with the web, the elongated sleeve part being received within the receiving sections.

37. Method according to claim 33, wherein said fastening a base plate on the first body shell component includes snap fittingly connecting respective parts of the first body shell component to respective mating parts of the base plate.

38. Method according to claim 33, wherein said fastening a receiving device to the second body shell component includes snap fittingly connecting respective parts at the second body shell component to respecting mating parts of the receiving device.

39. Method according to claim 37, wherein said fastening a receiving device to the second body shell component includes snap fittingly connecting respective parts at the second body shell component to respective mating parts of the receiving device.

40. Method according to Claim 39, wherein said base plate and receiving device are formed of respective plastic or metal material which is sufficiently elastic to accommodate the snap fitting connections.